

Food Stamp Program
CBO Baseline, January 2006

By fiscal year, in millions of dollars

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
BASELINE											
Budget Authority	35,637	34,738	34,994	35,939	36,755	37,708	38,477	39,471	40,268	41,259	42,130
Outlays	35,445	34,780	34,982	35,895	36,718	37,664	38,442	39,425	40,232	41,213	42,090
PROGRAM COMPONENTS (budget authority)											
Total Benefits	31,075	30,085	30,256	31,109	31,832	32,690	33,361	34,256	34,952	35,839	36,605
Nutrition Assistance for Puerto Rico and AS	1,524	1,554	1,590	1,627	1,664	1,702	1,741	1,782	1,823	1,864	1,907
Administrative Costs / Other	3,037	3,099	3,148	3,203	3,259	3,316	3,374	3,433	3,494	3,555	3,618
MAJOR ASSUMPTIONS											
Average monthly benefits (dollars per person)	96.38	97.10	99.33	101.61	103.95	106.34	108.79	111.29	113.85	116.47	119.15
Average monthly participation (millions of people)	26.9	25.8	25.4	25.5	25.5	25.6	25.6	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.6
Thrifty Food Plan estimated change June/June preceding year, lagged		102.0%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%	102.3%
Unemployment rate fiscal year average	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.2%

Notes: Details may not sum to totals due to rounding.